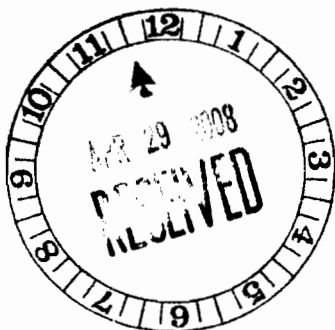


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Re: Environmental Assessment, Itasca County Regional Rail Authority Exemption, Itasca County, MN

We have received your document of March 28, 2008 concerning the above referenced project.

- ☒ We have no comment on your proposed actions.
- ☒ Please address any further correspondence about this project or any project to the following address:

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Due to limited staff and the number of requests we receive for early coordination, we ask that companies/agencies assume we will have no comments on projects if they have not heard from us within 30 days of our receipt of the request.

Thank you,

Regional Environmental Coordinator